

Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

NEW PUBLIC LAWS

(For last listing of Public Laws, see DAILY DIGEST, p. D621)

S. 1760, to designate the community-based outpatient clinic of the Department of Veterans Affairs planned to be built in Oahu, Hawaii, as the “Daniel Kahikina Akaka Department of Veterans Affairs Community-Based Outpatient Clinic”. Signed on June 7, 2022. (Public Law 117–131)

S. 1872, to award a Congressional Gold Medal, collectively, to the United States Army Rangers Veterans of World War II in recognition of their extraordinary service during World War II. Signed on June 7, 2022. (Public Law 117–132)

S. 2102, to amend title 38, United States Code, to direct the Under Secretary for Health of the Department of Veterans Affairs to provide mammography screening for veterans who served in locations associated with toxic exposure. Signed on June 7, 2022. (Public Law 117–133)

S. 2514, to rename the Provo Veterans Center in Orem, Utah, as the “Col. Gail S. Halvorsen ‘Candy Bomber’ Veterans Center”. Signed on June 7, 2022. (Public Law 117–134)

S. 2533, to improve mammography services furnished by the Department of Veterans Affairs. Signed on June 7, 2022. (Public Law 117–135)

S. 2687, to provide the Inspector General of the Department of Veterans Affairs testimonial subpoena authority. Signed on June 7, 2022. (Public Law 117–136)

S. 3527, to amend title 38, United States Code, to authorize the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to transfer the name of property of the Department of Veterans Affairs designated by law to other property of the Department. Signed on June 7, 2022. (Public Law 117–137)

S. 4089, to restore entitlement to educational assistance under Veterans Rapid Retraining Program in cases of a closure of an educational institution or a disapproval of a program of education. Signed on June 7, 2022. (Public Law 117–138)

S. 4119, to reauthorize the Radiation Exposure Compensation Act. Signed on June 7, 2022. (Public Law 117–139)

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR THURSDAY, JUNE 9, 2022

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Subcommittee on Commodities, Risk Management, and Trade, to hold hearings to examine agricultural trade, focusing on priorities and issues facing America’s farmers, 11 a.m., SD–215.

Committee on the Budget: to hold hearings to examine saving Social Security, 11 a.m., SH–216.

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Communications, Media, and Broadband, to hold an oversight hearing to examine the National Telecommunications and Information Administration, 10 a.m., SR–253.

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: to hold hearings to examine the President’s proposed budget request for fiscal year 2023 for the Forest Service, 10 a.m., SD–366.

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Transportation and Infrastructure, to hold hearings to examine S. 4244, to amend the Toxic Substances Control Act to prohibit the manufacture, processing, use, and distribution in commerce of commercial asbestos and mixtures and articles containing commercial asbestos, 10 a.m., SD–406.

Committee on Foreign Relations: business meeting to consider S. 4171, to reauthorize the Trafficking Victims Protection Act of 2000, S. 1160, to prioritize efforts of the Department of State to combat international trafficking in covered synthetic drugs and new psychoactive substances, S. 3211, to continue the whole-of-government approach to ending global wildlife poaching and trafficking by permanently reauthorizing the activities of the Presidential Task Force on Wildlife Trafficking, S. 3861, to require the Secretary of State to submit annual reports to Congress on the assistance provided to Somaliland and to conduct a feasibility study, in coordination with the Secretary of Defense, on establishing a security partnership with Somaliland, without recognizing Somaliland as an independent state, S. 3895, to extend and authorize annual appropriations for the United States Commission on International Religious Freedom through fiscal year 2024, S. Con. Res. 40, welcoming the Prime Minister of Greece to the United States for an address to a joint meeting of Congress, S. Res. 124, celebrating the heritage of Romani Americans, S. Res. 394, recognizing the 25th anniversary of Radio Free Asia and its mission to provide an independent source of news to closed societies in Asia, S. Res. 458, recognizing the 75th anniversary of the establishment of the United Nations Children’s Fund, S. Res. 540, supporting the goals of International Women’s Day, S. Res. 568, supporting the goals and ideals of “Countering International Parental Child Abduction Month” and expressing the sense of the Senate that Congress should raise awareness of the harm caused by international parental child abduction, S. Res. 589, recognizing, honoring, and commending the women of Ukraine who have contributed to the fight for freedom

and the defense of Ukraine, S. Res. 638, commending the Government and people of the Republic of Moldova for their heroic efforts to support Ukrainian refugees fleeing President Putin's illegal war against Ukraine, S. Res. 646, expressing the Senate's support for Finland and Sweden's accession into the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) and the expedited ratification of accession protocols, H.R. 4250, to amend the State Department Basic Authorities Act of 1956 to provide for rewards for the arrest or conviction of certain foreign nationals who have committed genocide or war crimes, H.R. 6089, to clarify that section 107 of the Countering America's Adversaries Through Sanctions Act applies sanctions with respect to unmanned combat aerial vehicles following a 2019 change by the United Nations providing additional clarity to the United Nations Register of Conventional Arms, H.R. 7276, to direct the President to submit to Congress a report on United States Government efforts to collect, analyze, and preserve evidence and information related to war crimes and other atrocities committed during the full-scale Russian invasion of Ukraine since February 24, 2022, the nominations of Mari Carmen Aponte, of Puerto Rico, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Panama, Michelle Kwan, of California, to be Ambassador to Belize, and Elizabeth H. Richard, of Virginia, to be Coordinator for Counterterrorism, with the rank and status of Ambassador at Large, all of the Department of State, and other pending calendar business, 9:30 a.m., S-116, Capitol.

Subcommittee on Europe and Regional Security Cooperation, to hold hearings to examine European energy security, focusing on America's role in supporting Europe's energy diversification agenda, 10:30 a.m., SD-419/VTC.

Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs: to hold hearings to examine domestic extremism in America, focusing on white supremacist violence in the wake of recent attacks, 10:15 a.m., SD-342.

Committee on the Judiciary: business meeting to consider the nominations of John Z. Lee, of Illinois, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Seventh Circuit, Salvador Mendoza, Jr., of Washington, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Ninth Circuit, Stephen Henley Locher, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of Iowa, Nancy L. Maldonado, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Illinois, Gregory Brian Williams, to be United States District Judge for the District of Delaware, Sarah A. L. Merriam, of Connecticut, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Second Circuit, Lara E. Montecalvo, of Rhode Island, to be United States Circuit Judge for the First Circuit, Tiffany

M. Cartwright, to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Washington, Nina Nin-Yuen Wang, to be United States District Judge for the District of Colorado, and Steven M. Dettelbach, of Ohio, to be Director, Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms, and Explosives, Gerard M. Karam, to be United States Attorney for the Middle District of Pennsylvania, Jacqueline C. Romero, to be United States Attorney for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania, and Joshua D. Hurwit, of Idaho, to be United States Attorney for the District of Idaho, all of the Department of Justice, 9 a.m., SD-G50.

House

Committee on Agriculture, Subcommittee on General Farm Commodities and Risk Management, hearing entitled "A 2022 Review of the Farm Bill: Economic Perspectives on Title I Commodities and Title XI Crop Insurance", 9 a.m., 1300 Longworth and Zoom.

Committee on Armed Services, Subcommittee on Readiness, markup on H.R. 7900, the "National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2023", 8 a.m., 2118 Rayburn and Webex.

Subcommittee on Tactical Air and Land Forces, markup on H.R. 7900, the "National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2023", 9 a.m., 2118 Rayburn and Webex.

Subcommittee on Intelligence and Special Operations, markup on H.R. 7900, the "National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2023", 10 a.m., 2118 Rayburn and Webex.

Committee on Homeland Security, Subcommittee on Intelligence and Counterterrorism, hearing entitled "Terrorism and Cryptocurrency: Industry Perspectives", 9 a.m., 310 Cannon and Webex.

Committee on the Judiciary, Subcommittee on the Constitution, Civil Rights, and Civil Liberties, hearing entitled "Examining Civil Rights Litigation Reform, Part 2: State and Local Government Employer Liability", 9:30 a.m., 2141 Rayburn and Zoom.

Committee on Natural Resources, Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources, hearing entitled "Coal Community Protection and Revitalization", 9:30 a.m., 1324 Longworth and Webex.

Select Committee on the Climate Crisis, Full Committee, hearing entitled "Turning the Tide for Ocean Climate Action: Unleashing the Climate Benefits of Our Blue Planet", 9 a.m., 210 Cannon and Zoom.

Select Committee to Investigate the January 6th Attack on the United States Capitol, Full Committee, hearing entitled "Hearing on the January 6th Investigation", 8 p.m., 390 Cannon and Webex.